

## Legal Notice

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Notice is herein given that an informal hearing has been scheduled by the Indiana Department of Natural Resources, Division of Oil and Gas at 11:00 AM , Thursday, July 30, 2009, at the Indianapolis Office of the Division of Oil and Gas for the purpose of receiving relevant information on the following:

1. Information that would assist in determining the actual owners of the property upon which the abandoned Lewis Cemetery is located in the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 6, Township 6 North, Range 9 West, Sullivan County, Indiana, containing 0.5 acres, more or less.
2. The integration of oil and gas interests held by owners of the property upon which the Lewis Cemetery is located into the existing Barker 1-6 Unit comprising the southern half of Section 6, Township 6 North, Range 9 West, Sullivan County, Indiana containing 360 acres, more or less.

The Lewis Cemetery is bounded on the west and north sides by property now or formerly owned by Colleen Kennedy, on the east side by property now or formerly owned by James A. Correll, Trustee, and on the south side by properties now or formerly owned by Sally Berger, Trustee and Ronald and Carol Monroe. Historic owners of the Lewis Cemetery may have included, but are not necessary limited to: Mahala Lewis or Roll Manuel in 1933, and the Second Baptist Church, Sullivan, Indiana in 1972. The public record of Sullivan County also reflects a prior Oil and Gas Lease on the property executed on July 27, 1982, by Pastor Milburn Whitfield, Trustee of the Second Baptist Church, as Lessor, and Pioneer Oil and Gas, a Utah corporation, as Lessee.

Persons with any information that would assist in establishing rightful ownership of the abandoned Lewis Cemetery tract, and the oil and gas rights associated therewith, are requested to contact Herschel McDivitt, Director of the Division of Oil and Gas, 402 West Washington Street, Room W293, Indianapolis, IN 46229, 317-232-4058, email address [hmcdivitt@dnr.in.gov](mailto:hmcdivitt@dnr.in.gov), no later than 12:00 noon, Thursday, July 30, 2009.

If ownership of the Lewis Cemetery parcel is not determined by the conclusion of the informal hearing, it is the intent of the Division of Oil and Gas to reserve proceeds from the production of oil and gas from this parcel by integrating the oil and gas interests into the existing Barker 1-6 Unit in the form of a proportionate 1/8<sup>th</sup> royalty interest of all oil and gas produced from the Unit.

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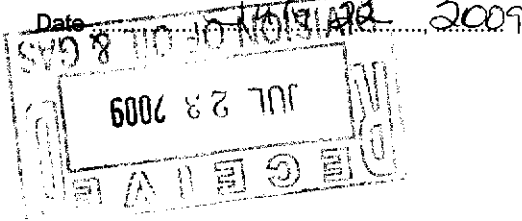
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